

ISD Daily Bulletin

Issue 2, Number 55

Wednesday, November 1, 2000

I cannot teach anyone anything; I can only make them THINK. - Socrates

Fireballs at Work

FIREBALLS to the following people for the successful Book Fair activity held for the Middle School and High School students during the special activity period in the auditorium last Wednesday, October 25th:

- a. Rusty Crace, Debbie Fetzer, Pamela Gatto, Jeff Richards, and Dan Fitzpatrick for telling wonderful stories from the books. Everyone, especially the students enjoyed these stories so much that they asked where they could find the books in the library.
- b. Eugene King for working seven hours on the large book cover that was hung over the curtain rod on the stage.
- c. Mary Kovatch, Middle School language arts teachers and High School ESL teachers for their assistance with the programming. -Linda Canty

Today's Activities

- 7:00 All HS Candidates will be at in Brown Cafeteria for breakfast this morning
9:40 Class meetings
3:15 Educational Department meetings
6:30 Girl Scouts

Today's Menu

Lunch

Cheeseburger
Veal Parmesean*
French Fries
Jello

Dinner

Roast Pork
Hot Cinnamon Apples
Parsley Potatoes/Gravy
Broccoli
Corn Bread & Apple Butter
Pineapple

Breakfast

Orange Juice
Cereal
Poached Eggs
Bacon
Pop Tart

Upcoming Activities

- November 2 Open House for Parents in Elementary, Middle School & High School (4:00 - 8:00)
November 3 College Fair (8:00)
Elementary Drama Night (6:00)
Open Gym in Caskey for staff, alumni and guests; cost is \$1 (4:00 - 7:00)
November 15 Senior Dress-up & Composite Picture Day

Announcements

Please Help - A former ISD student, Asmani Aluta, is seeking a host family for his sister, Jeannette, so she can come to Indiana and attend ISD. Jeannette is currently living in Burundi, Africa. She is eighteen years of age and wants to complete her high school education at ISD. Please contact Pam Burchett, Social Services Coordinator, at 920-6275 if you are interested. Thanks!

1999-2000 Yearbook - Jostens recently informed the Yearbook staff that the 1999-2000 yearbook will arrive at ISD during the week of November 11.

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New Product – The Windows Gift Shop has black pens with Indiana in orange available for \$1.00. They are great as a stocking stuffer of gift idea.

CSSD Volunteers Needed – The CSSD Cheerleading Competition needs helpers for the competition. Helpers are needed to work as timers, scorekeepers, tallying, and setup/decorations. Please contact Mary Kovatch (extension 334) or Sharon Baker (extension 622) to volunteer.

Upcoming Activity Periods – Several Activity Periods have been scheduled for the remainder of the First Semester. They are:

November 1	Middle School Election Process Work
November 8	High School Election Process Work
November 15	Call-out for Jr. NAD
November 22	JR. NAD Leadership Series for HS (Middle School Math Program 8-11 in the Auditorium)
November 29	Jr. NAD Meeting in Vocational
December 6	Jr. NAD Meeting in Vocational
December 20	Jr. NAD Meeting in Vocational

PTCO Needs Your Donations for a Holiday Sale - Indiana Deaf School's PTCO (Parent-Teacher-Counselor Organization) is collecting new or gently used children's items for a Get Ready for the Holidays Sale. Proceeds will be given to the Preschool/Elementary Playground Fund. PTCO is accepting donations of new or gently used children's:

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Holiday Wreaths for Sale – It's that time of year to start thinking about holiday traditions! The class of 2001 members are selling wreaths as part of their fundraising efforts. The wreaths will arrive at ISD on November 30 and delivered to you by class members. The deadline for purchasing wreaths is November 8.

New ISD Product Available – *Attention, Students, Staff, Parents, ISD Supporters, and Fans in General!* If you want to show your school spirit by proudly wearing the "Orange and Black," then you will want to look at and try on the two varieties of nylon-shell pullover v-neck sweaters in the Principal's Office. The logo "INDIANA" is on the front in either block or script letters. The thinner materials (Orange sample) is available in either orange or black and costs \$40.00. The thicker materials (black sample) is available in black only and costs \$45.00. There is an additional cost for XXL (\$2.00) and XXXL (\$4.00). Both sweaters have elastic color coordinated collars, arm cuffs, and waistbands. They both also have side pockets. There is approximately a two-week period from the time of order to delivery. The first order will be placed this Friday, November 3rd so that deliver for basketball, wrestling, and swimming seasons, Christmas gifts, and the CSSD Tournament should be guaranteed. Contact the principal's office to view or order these sweaters. Deadline for orders is this Friday, November 3rd and those who have placed an order, but not yet paid, please bring your money to the Principal's office by this Friday.

Purdue University Representative to Visit – There will be a Purdue University Representative from the admission office visiting here on Friday, November 3, 2000 to meet with some of our juniors and seniors. The schedule for the morning is:

High School students meet in-group at 9:40 a.m. in Vocational Building, Room #7111.

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Willie McWhirter	Cherish Lewis
Michael Johnson	Luke Risner
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MS Nancy Caraboa
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Elementary	Lou Ott – sub is Kim Galagan
	Monica Byrum
	Toni Wolfe
	Mike McGeath
Middle School	
High School	Elen Zook
	Linda Schipp
Principal's Office	Dan Stutler
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I dislike arguments of any kind. They are always vulgar and often convincing. – Oscar Wilde

Today's Activities

9:00 Regional Parent Resource Training in the Multi-Purpose Room
10:00 A. Burdine ACR3
10:30 M. Olson HE
1:00 W. Dickmann ACR
4:00 - Open House for Parents in Elementary, Middle School & High School
8:00
4:00 K. Blair CC
HS Election Candidates will greet parents at Open House (4:00 – 8:00)

Today's Menu

Lunch

Chicken Fajitas
Cabbage Rolls*
Spanish Rice
Salsa/Sour Cream
Fudge Bar

Dinner

Western Dinner
Asparagus
Pears

Breakfast

Orange Juice
Cereal
Scrambled Eggs
Sausage

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26" Balsam Wreath \$18
Balsam Gift Pack (includes wreath & brass hanger) \$30
34" Christmas tree Wreath \$30
36" Mailbox Swag \$18
24" Balsam Swag \$14
20 ft Balsam Garland \$25
13 3/4" solid Brass Hanger \$5

See a Class of 2001 students (senior) or a class sponsor to order. The sponsors are Loretta Hammel, James Carr and Beatrice Pfaff.

Entertainment Books/\$20.00 – The Greater Indianapolis Sertoma Club is selling Entertainment Books for \$20.00 each. All proceeds from selling these books will be donated to ISD's science classes. The books have coupons in them for saving money on rental cars, hotels, restaurants, fast food, pizza, movies, videotape rentals, gasoline, dry cleaning, and many more. They will have a table set up in Alumni Hall during Parent Conferences Night, so please stop by and purchase one. You may also contact Teresa Huckleberry in the High School Department to purchase an Entertainment Book.

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Free Books for Students – During the Book Fair activity in the auditorium last Wednesday, October. 25th, we had drawings for free books for the students. Please take a minute to congratulate them as they were very proud to be the owner of a new book for their own personal library. The Middle School students are as follows: Octavia Bradley, Satish Axell, Ryan Bailey, Tianna Johnson, and Leah Grandt. The High School students are as follows: Anthony Mowl, Ellie Salinas, Jenny Kanable, Jessica Seeling, Luke Pardee, Corey West, Andy Ruddy, Daniel Pfaff, Kevin Webster, and Justin Wilson.

Opportunities

Software Ratings - Some of you may have noticed ratings placed on computer software. These ratings are given out by Entertainment Software Rating Board (ESRB). Their ratings look like EC, E, T, etc. They are similar to the ratings all movies get (e.g., G, PG, PG-13, R, etc.). It is recommend that you refer to their web site <http://www.esrb.com/esrb.html> to learn more about these ratings, how they are determined, and by whom. The web site also has a page explaining each rating category and for what audience these ratings are appropriate. This will help you determine which software is appropriate for your students.

SRC Duty

MS	Carol Keller
HS	Jess Blackwell

SRC Lunch Duty Teresa Huckleberry

Staff Working Off Campus

Lori Dille will provide a home visit to the family in Danville today.

Kay Sellers – workshop

Teresa Huckleberry – workshop

Kathleen Robertson

Staff Absences

Preschool

Elementary

Middle School

High School

Principal's Office

Outreach

Lou Ott – sub is Kim Galagan

Ken Anderson - late

Beth Fields – sub is Brandi Sprunger

Dan Stutler

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Monday, November 6, 2000

Laughter is the language of the young at heart. And you know what? You don't have to be happy to laugh. You become happy because you laugh. – Barbara Johnson

D.E.A.R.

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Please contact Linda Canty for more information on D.E.A.R.

FIREBALLS at Work

FIREBALLS to Kamzi Blair, Chris Lester and Teddy Neanover. They set up the computer and projector for last Friday's Middle School Election Assembly. Great job!

Today's Events

8:30	Joey Cureton	CC
9:00	Administrative Team Meeting	
	D. Shively	Assess
10:30	N. Leonard	HE
1:00	T. Webster	ACR
	K. Battice	ACR
1:45	D. Utley	HE
3:30	Church Services in Elementary for Raney and Willard students	
4:00	C. Lester	CC
6:30	Church Services in G252 for Middle School and High School students	

Today's menu

Lunch

Corn Dog
Cabbage Rolls*
Baked Beans
Soup
Pudding

Dinner

Fish Square
Corn
Spinach
Jello

Breakfast

Orange Juice
Cereal
Western Omelet

Upcoming Events

November 7	Education Team Meeting (9:00)
November 8	School Board Meeting (1:00)
November 10	Accreditation Steering Committee Meeting (7:00)

Announcements

Current Student Enrollment -	Preschool	37
	Elementary	99
	Middle School	63
	High School	106
	Total	305

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SLED Meeting – The next SLED meeting will be on December 14. This week's meeting has been cancelled.

Visitors from Switzerland – Tanya Tissi and Jutta Gstrein, Deaf educators from Switzerland, will be at ISD this week. They have already visited schools in California, Maryland and Washington, DC. They will be staying in Fair Hall. Please make them welcome to ISD. Diane Hazel Jones is coordinating their visit.

Staff working off campus

Lori Dille and Pam Burchett will serve on a First Steps panel to discuss transition services for three year olds.

SRC duty

MS		Carol Keller
HS	Gary Nash	Sharon Baker

Staff absences

Preschool	
Elementary	Lou Ott – sub is Kim Galagan Janet Walters – late
Middle School	Sondra Gullion Bruce Peters
High School	Jerry Backus – sub is Jill Lestina Loretta Hammel - late
Principal's Office	Dan Stutler Jeff Richards
Outreach	

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Tuesday, November 7, 2000

We should extend our hand to each woman and man who slips and slides past us in life. They need us. And before very much time passes, we'll need them. – Marilyn Mebery

Today's Events

- Election Day (School is session)
- 8:15 L. Tingle
- 9:00 Education Team Meeting
- 2:30 D. Rohler CC
- 3:45 Raney Hall girls will learn about hair and nail care in the Fun Room.
Willard Hall boys will learn about alcohol and drug awareness in the Game Room.
- 6:30 Cub Scouts

Today's menu

Lunch

Grilled Cheese
Veal Parmesan*
Salad/Chips
Soup
Choco-Taco Ice Cream

Dinner

Beef Noodles
Broccoli
Peaches

Breakfast

Orange Juice
Cereal
Fried Eggs
Sausage

Upcoming Events

- November 8 School Board Meeting (1:00)
- November 9 Deaf Concerns Council meeting, Vocational Building, Distance Learning Room. Will have an election of new officers and discuss some concerns and issues. Everyone is welcome, (3:15)
- November 10 Accreditation Steering Committee Meeting (7:00)
- Nov. 27 – Dec. 1 Scholastic Book Fair in the Main Library (8:30 – 2:30 daily)

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Switzerland Visitor Schedule

8:30 – 12:00	Preschool
12:00 – 1:30	PIP Overview
1:30 – 2:00	Discussion with PS Staff
2:00 – 3:00	Visit to VU ASL Program

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Preschool Open House – Thursday evening, October 26, Preschool held its annual Open House. Deaf and hearing families came together to learn more about the bilingual-bicultural education offered in Preschool for their Deaf and hearing children. It was a great opportunity for parents to see how the Deaf child's empowerment process begins during these critical years at ISD.

Preschool staff explained how they foster this process by encouraging the children to:

- Make choices as they explore the classroom Learning Centers
- Play and use ASL with hearing siblings and Deaf friends
- See ASL translated into English and English translated into ASL
- Begin literacy skills in both ASL and English (Reading and Writing)
- Choose to communicate in a variety of ways
- Interact with various ASL users including parent and ISD high school volunteers, Ball State University participants, Deaf and hearing staff and visitors
- Invite their family members to attend annual functions such as Mother/Father Luncheons and Grandparents' Day
- See TTYs in every classroom making parent/staff communication easily accessible
- Participate in cultural events at ISD such as Deaf Heritage Week, Homecoming, PTCO Day, and sporting events

Bob Kovatch, Principal, and Diane Hazel Jones, Family Resource Coordinator, were also on hand to welcome families and answer any questions related to the school-wide BiBi program. Packets of information regarding the ISD Preschool and available parent resources were given to all families.

New Staff Member – Andy Rork is the newest staff interpreter at ISD. He officially joined the ISD team on November 1, after working in the community for many years. Andy's parents both graduated from ISD – Alan Rork (1961), and Joyce Bippus Rork (1963) – and he felt that it was time to "give back" to the school, which had given his family so much. Andy enjoys reading, sports, movies, crossword puzzles, and playing his guitar. Andy also enjoys spending time with his fiancée (Teri), her son (Blake) and their newest addition – baby Casey!

Staff Development

Facilitating Outdoor/Indoor Active Play – Preschool and several Elementary staff attended a workshop on November 3rd at ISD on "Facilitating Outdoor/Indoor Active Play" lead by Gaye Gronlund, Early Childhood consultant. Ms. Gronlund has been working with the staff for the last two years conducting workshops to support The Creative Curriculum currently being used in Preschool. Ms. Gronlund was also the guest speaker at last year's Preschool Open House helping parents understand how academic learning occurs through play in well-designed classroom learning centers.

Friday's workshop included observing students at recess, evaluating our observations and playground usage, and recommendations for effective playgrounds. Information gained at this workshop will be beneficial as we continue to plan for safe, accessible playgrounds at ISD.

Staff working off campus

SRC duty

MS		Carol Keller
HS	Teresa Huckleberry	Sharon Baker

Staff absences

Preschool	Chris Carr
Elementary	Lou Ott – sub is Kim Galagan Carmel Flores leaving at 1:00 – sub is Jill Lestina
Middle School	Tim Harrold – sub is John Lestina
High School	Kay Sellers – leaving at 10:00 and returning after lunch
Principal's Office	Dan Stutler
Outreach	Linda Charlesbois - late

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Wednesday, November 8,

Laughter is to life what shock absorbers are to automobiles. It won't take the potholes out of the road, but it sure makes the ride smoother. – Barbara Johnson

Today's Events

8:30-10:00	Glenda Zmijewski will conduct a "Connections 1 Aligning Curriculum, Instruction and Assessment for Outreach staff
8:00-3:00	Visitors from Switzerland will visit in the Elementary Department
1:00	School Board Meeting G. Vachon ACR2
5:30	HS boys will visit the Bike Garage and eat at KFC.
6:30	Girl Scouts

Today's menu

Lunch

Chicken Pot Pie
Stuffed Green Pepper*
Corn on the Cob
Salad
Ice Cream & Strawberries

Dinner

Ham & Beans
Slaw
Cornbread
Applesauce

Breakfast

Grape Juice
Cereal
Poached Eggs
Bacon

Upcoming Events

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November 9	Deaf Concerns Council Meeting, Vocational Distance Learning Room (everyone welcome (3:15)
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Schedule Change for Switzerland Visitors – Switzerland visitors will depart on Friday. Jutta Gstrein and Tanja Tissi have made plans to depart from ISD on Friday morning at 4:45 a.m. in order to visit San Francisco this weekend. We hope they have a safe trip and have enjoyed our BiBi environment at ISD.

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Bob Kovatch will attend the Indiana Principal Leadership Academy today and tomorrow.

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By reaching out to and supporting one another, we make life a lot more bearable – and more joyful as well. – Luci Swindoll

Fireballs at Work

Fireballs to the high school department's students and staff that made the ELECTION 2000 learning experience possible. The swearing in ceremony and reception yesterday was a culmination of an idea that started in the discussion stages last spring. It was quite a testimony to what happens when we have creative, high expectations and work together as a team to accomplish them.

Today's Events

8:00-11:20	Switzerland visitors visit Middle School	
1:00-3:00	Switzerland visitors visit High School	
8:00	D. Staple	HE
8:15	K. Wicks	CC
8:30	B. Guillian	ACR
9:00	D. Franz	HE
10:00	Z. Duran	ACR
10:30	N & A Van Zuilen	HE
2:30	D. Elkins	ACR2
3:15	D. Sachs	Staffing
3:15	Deaf Concerns Committee Meeting, Vocational Distance Learning Room (all welcome)	
4:00	K. Blair	CC

Today's menu

Lunch

Boneless BBQ Pork
Lasagna Mexicana*
French Fries
Cookies

Dinner

Baked Chicken
Mashed Potatoes
Baby Carrots
Cookies

Breakfast

Orange Juice
Cereal
Pancakes
Sausage

Upcoming Events

November 10 Accreditation Steering Committee Meeting (7:00)
Nov. 27-Dec. 1 Scholastic Book Fair in the main library (8:30-2:30)

Announcements

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Staff working off campus

Bob Kovatch will attend the Indiana Principal Leadership Academy today and tomorrow.

SRC duty

MS	Nancy Caraboa
HS	Leithia Whited Sharon Baker

Staff absences

Preschool	Chris Carr – sub is Linda Krieger
Elementary	Lou Ott – sub is Kim Galagan
	Mike Jackson – sub is John Lestina
	Beth Beyke
	Linda Groogan

Middle School

High School

Principal's Office

Outreach

Dan Stutler

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Friday, November 10, 2000

Look around and consider your blessings. Read this morning's newspaper and be grateful for what didn't happen to you. Think about what you do have in a new light. – Luci Swindoll

Be A Keymaker!

Some people see a closed door and turn away.

Others see a closed door and try the knob; if it doesn't open then turn away.

Still others see a closed door, try the knob, if it doesn't open, they find a key. If the key doesn't fit, they turn away.

A rare few see a closed door, try the knob, if it doesn't open they find a key; if the key doesn't fit, they make one.

Be a keymaker!

Today's Events

Veteran's Day (Holiday – school in session)
7:00 Accreditation Steering Committee Meeting (7:00)
8:30 A. Feldhoff Assess
9:00 K. Cox HE
9:45 RJ Drumwright HE

Today's menu

Lunch
French Bread Pizza*
Cheese Manicotti*
Pizza Hot Pockets
Mixed Vegetables
Fruit Juice Bars

Upcoming Events

November 14 Senior Dress-up & Composite Picture Day
HS Girls Basketball at Northwest (4:30)
MS Boys Basketball at home against Sycamore (4:30)
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Announcements

Seniors – Please don't forget your nice clothes for Tuesday, November 14's Senior Dress-up & Composite Picture Day. Contact your class sponsors if you have any questions.

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Anthony Mowl	Willie McWhirter	Will Dickman
Bobby Polstra	Thomas Barnett	Luke Risner
Melissa Buterbaugh	Cherish Lewis	Valerie Sharer
Robert Haney, Jr.	Enzo Hicks	Daniel Pfaff
David Sharer	Eugene King	Matt Prakel

If you have any questions, please contact Jeff Richards, Guidance Counselor at 920-6252.

Printer Cartridge Delivery – To foster student involvement and exposure to some technology, we are happy to inform you that students working with Stellar Cellar are now the folks who will manage and deliver printer cartridges for your printers. You need to continue to request cartridges through your help desk leaders who will create ticket in our Problem Reporting and Tracking system (PRAT). Stellar Cellar will receive requests automatically through this system. Students will get on online, find cartridge requests, and deliver cartridges. They will use in-house mail system to send you printer cartridges if you are located away from the Alumni Hall. We will continue to find ways to expand and expose technology “internals” to our students. – Jay Krieger, Director of Technology

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Gretchen Krug (Elem) workshop – sub is Jill Lestina
George Houk (MS) workshop sub is Lane Grover
Dan Fitzpatrick (MS) workshop sub is John Lestina
Carrie Martin (MS) workshop sub is Linda Krieger till 1:30
Chris Walters (MS) workshop

SRC duty

HS Teresa Huckleberry

Staff absences**Preschool**

Cami Cass

Elementary

Toni Wolf sub is Mary Glenn Rinne

Lou Ott sub is Kim Galagan

Beth Beyke

Kara Knebel

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Dan Stutler

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Monday, November 13, 2000

Experience is not what happens to you. It is what you do with what happens to you. – Aldous Huxley

American Education Week

This week, November 12 – 18, is American Education Week. This year's theme is Children-School-Parents: Helping Students Achieve. This theme reflects the need for cooperation and hard work from all parents and educational staff as well as business people and community. Without this cooperation, our children will not reach their full potential as students and adults. As Tom Brokaw said in his way, "There is a place in America to take a stand; it is public education. It is the underpinning of our cultural and political system. It is the great common ground. Public education, after all, is the engine that moves us as a society toward a common destiny. It is in public education that the American dream begins to take shape. Please join Dr. Suellen Reed, Superintendent of Public Instruction and Bob Kovatch, ISD Principal in celebrating Education Week.

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Today's Activities

- 3:30 Church services in Elementary
Raney Hall girls will play table games in the Fun Room.
Storytelling for the Willard Hall boys in the Game Room
6:30 Church Services for Koob & Fair Hall students

Upcoming Activities

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| Tuesday, November 14 | Gallaudet University recruiter visits ISD (10:30 – 3:15)
HS Girls Basketball Season Opener at Northwest (4:30)
MS Boys Basketball Scrimmage with Sycamore (4:30)
HS Boys Basketball Scrimmage with Lutheran (6:00 at Home)
Cub Scouts (6:30) |
| Wednesday, November 15 | HS students will to Circle Centre Mall for dinner and shopping.
Girl Scouts (6:30)
MS students will bowl at Jubilee Bowl (7:00) |
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Announcements

1999-2000 Yearbook Are Here! – The 1999-2000 Yearbooks have arrived. Those, who have already paid for a book, need to come to Brown Cafeteria **TODAY** from 12:10 to 12:40 to pick up your copy. You may also come to the Yearbook Office in Alumni Hall Room G06 between 1:00 and 1:35. The office will also be open after school this week. Thank you for your support! – Rachele Powers and Darin Turner, Yearbook Advisors

Visitor – An ISU student will be observing in Sondra Gullion's class this morning from 8:00 to 8:50.

Printer Cartridges – Students from the Stellar Cellar will be delivering printer cartridges for our school printers. Please complete at PRAT when you need a new cartridge. Students from the Stellar Cellar will automatically receive your request. They will send you the new cartridge through campus mail. The goal is to have our students exposed to technology "internals".

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Sale Information

Where: Indiana Deaf School - Preschool Gym

When: Saturday, November 18, 2000

Time: 11:00am - 3:00pm

Cash only sale

Daily Bulletin – Dan Stutler is back at ISD from an illness. Please send your articles and announcements for the Daily Bulletin directly to him. Thanks to Pam Lewis for assuming Dan's responsibilities in his absence.

SRC Duty

MS Carol Keller

HS Sharon Baker Gary Nash

Staff Working Off Campus

Mary Power is at a workshop all day.

Staff Absences

Preschool Kelli Jo Hancock - John Lestina is subbing.

Elementary Lou Ott – Kim Galagan is subbing.

Monica Byrum - Late

Middle School

High School Sharon Baker

Elen Zook

Gary Nash

Principal's Office

Outreach Diane Hazel Jones - Late

Donna Stutler - Late

Deb Liebrich

Terri Motter

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Wednesday, November 15, 2000

Honest disagreement is often a good sign of progress. – Mahatma Gandhi

Robert Haney Selected AS All-City

Robert Haney has been selected for the first string All-City Football Team for Indianapolis. He will be featured in the newspaper today with other elite players. It is believed that he is fourth ISD football player to be recognized on the All-City Team. Yesterday, Robert was also interviewed for his athletic success in the Caskey Gym by Dennis Kasey from WHMBTV. Brian Bippus will keep everyone informed on when the interview will be shown on TV. Congratulations to Robert on his well-deserved honor!

Today's Activities

8:30 J. Hall CC
3:20 School Profile Meeting in Room 223, Alumni Hall
6:00 HS students will to Circle Centre Mall for dinner and shopping.
6:30 Girl Scouts
7:00 MS students will bowl at Jubilee Bowl

Today's Menu

Lunch

Roast Turkey
Salisbury Steak*
Mashed Potatoes*
Dressing
Seasoned Green Beans
Roll
Cranberry Sauce
Pumpkin Pie

Dinner

Grilled Cheese Sandwich
Potato Wedges
Seasoned Peas
Strawberry Ice Cream

Breakfast

Apple Juice
Cereal
Poached Eggs
Sausage

Upcoming Activities

Thursday, November 16

Education Team Retreat in the Principal's Office
Preschool's NAEYC Accreditation Kick-off (3:15 in Preschool)
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Friday, November 17

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Announcements

Yesterday's Sports – The MS Boys Basketball Team (7th/8th) defeated Sycamore by 21 points. The team played very well. A win at our season opener foretells a great season ahead. The final score was ISD 36 and Sycamore 15. John Mowl scored 11 points, and Stanley Mangold scored 9. Calvin Doudt scored 6, and Bradley Pollard scored 4.

The Middle School B Team lost their game 16 to Sycamore's 77. However, it is a young team that has much to learn. Colin Whited scored 9 points, followed by AJ Christian with 5 and Gabriel Paulone with 2 points.

The Girls Varsity team lost to Northwest 73 to ISD 25. The first game against quick Northwest team (Class 4A with 1,848 student enrollments) was a big nightmare for the coaching staff. The team had 56 turnovers. On the bright side, the girls did create some nice plays. With a lessening of turnovers, the team will get better as season goes on. Keep your heads up, girls! The current record is 0 – 1. The next Game is at Kokomo Christian (November 21st).

Mothers' Luncheon – Fifty-five mothers are confirmed their reservations to attend the Mothers' Luncheon on Thursday, November 16. The breakdown by department is:

Preschool	12
Elementary	30
MS	5
HS	8

Some mothers will be attending all of the scheduled events; others will attend lunch only. A list of the mothers is posted on the last page of the Daily Bulletin.

Upcoming Activity Periods

November 15	Call-out for Jr. NAD - All High School Students
November 22	Jr. NAD Leadership Series for HS (Middle School Math Program 8-11 in the Auditorium)
November 29	Jr. NAD Meeting in Vocational
December 6	Jr. NAD Meeting in Vocational
December 13	MS/HS in Auditorium - Student Survey by the School Profile Committee
December 20	Jr. NAD Meeting in Vocational

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SRC Duty

MS Nancy Caraboa
HS Gary Nash Gary Nash

Staff Working Off Campus

Pam Burchett will be off campus today attending the First Steps Transition Coordinators Meeting..

Staff Absences

Preschool
Elementary Kara Knebel
Chris Fetzer
Brenda Alkhatib (Jill Lestina is subbing.)
Middle School Ken Anderson (John Lestina is subbing)
Carrie Martin (Late)
High School Gary Nash (Mary Glenn Rinne is subbing.)
Principal's Office
Outreach Joyce Connor

Confirmed RSVPs for the Mothers' Luncheon

Preschool

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| 1. | Teresa Lesti | Cancelled |
| 2. | Jodee Crace | 8:30 – 2:45 |
| 3. | Brenda Tingler | 8:00- ???? |
| 4. | Mandy Jacobs | 8:00 - ???? |
| 5. | Jackie Katter | Lunch only |
| 6. | Terri Rifkind | 8:00 - ???? |
| 7. | Christine Wood | 8:00 - ???? |
| 8. | Laurel Gerbrandt | 8:30 – Lunch |
| 9. | Melissa Fowler (Andrew) | 8:30 – 12:00 |
| 10. | Joan Smith | 8:30 |
| 11. | Jeanne/Molly Peters | ???? |

Elementary

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| 1. | Mary Keeling and Mary Rose | 11:30 – after lunch and taking home James |
| 2. | Lora Henry | 9:00 – 1:00 |
| 3. | Kelli Phillips | 8:30 – 1:00 |
| 4. | Jackie Katter | Lunch only |
| 5. | Tiffany Battice | 11- 2:30 |
| 6. | Lori Dille | Lunch only |
| 7. | Donna Chapin | 8:30 – 12:30 |
| 8. | Tammy Ralstin | 9:00 – 1:00 |
| 9. | Marilyn Ogan | 8:45 – After lunch |
| 10. | Cortney Russell | ?????--????? |
| 11. | Karen Grandt | 8:30 – after lunch with 3 rd grade |
| 12. | Mich Bignell | 8:30 – after lunch |
| 13. | Gin Glossenger | 8:30 - 12 |

14.	Theresa Burton	8:30 – 1:00 (if weather permitting)
15.	Cassia Margolis	8:30 - ????
16.	Connie Greef (Jayla)	8:00 – 1:30
17.	Leithia Whited	12:30 – 1:00
18.	Sharon Schuitema	8:30 – 1:00
19.	Debbie Fetzer	????-????
20.	Jodee Crace	8:30 – 2:45
21.	Brenda Tingler	8:00 - ????
22.	April Taylor (India)	Lunch
23.	Sharee Peques?	8:00- 12:15
24.	Joan Smith	8:30-????
25.	Rosamaria Guerrero	8:30 – 3 (wants interpreter)
26.	Julie Brink	8:30 – 1
27.	Jeanne and Molly Peters	????
28.	Chantel Cole	8:30 – 3 (wants interpreter)
29.	Carmie Bergman	lunch
30.	Maureen Baldanado	will attend

Middle School

1.	Jane Neemer	11:00 – 3:00
2.	Tina Elkins	8:30 - ????
3.	Karen Grandt	would like to spend the night
4.	Barb Gantt	8:30 – after 3 rd grade lunch
5.	Linda Lechner	8:30 - ????
		10:00 – 1:00 PM

High School

1.	Deb Robarge	lunch only
2.	Wendy Whiting	lunch - ????
3.	Vicki Chew	8:30 – 1:00
4.	Stephanie Ruddy	8:30- after lunch
5.	Tammi Hossler	maybe stay for lunch
6.	Teri Paulone	8:30 – 9 ---1:0
7.	Adele Berry	9:00- ???
8.	Evette Porter	lunch maybe

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Thursday, November 16, 2000

Kind words can be short and easy to speak, but their echoes are truly endless. – Mother Teresa

Mothers Luncheon

Please join in welcoming our students' mothers to today's Mothers Luncheon. The events kickoff at 8:30 am and are in the Second Floor Coed. The activities include:

8:30 Welcome

9:00 BIBI Activities

10:00 Panel

11:00 Lunch with the Students Followed Visits to the Classrooms

Fifty-eight (58) mothers plan to attend. A list of mothers, who have sent in their RSVP, is the end of the Daily Bulletin.

Today's Activities

- 9:00 Education Team Retreat in the Principal's Office
- 1:00 G. Guerrero CC
- 2:30 I. DeLuna CC
- 3:15 Preschool's NAEYC Accreditation Kick-off
- 3:30 Rollerskating at USA East for Willard & Raney Halls
- 4:30 MS Boys Basketball Season Opener at Traders Point
- 6:30 Mr. & Ms. ISD Teen Pageant in the Auditorium
- 10th & 11th Grade boys will visit Netheads in Broad Ripple

Hoosiers Helping Hoosiers

Join other State of Indiana employees by donating non-perishable food or toiletries to needy Hoosiers.

Donation bins are located in:

Alumni Hall (Outside the Mailroom)

Willard Cafeteria (Outside the Secretary's Office)

Brown Cafeteria (Outside the Secretary's Office)

Items can be donated through December 8.

Today's Menu

Lunch

Cheese Pizza
Chicken Fricassee*
Soup
Salad
Klondike Bar

Dinner

Spaghetti & Meat Sauce
Mixed Vegetables
Tossed Salad
Garlic Texas Bread
Jell-O-Gems

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TO OUR CONTESTANTS THAT ARE PARTICIPATING IN THE MR. / MISS ISD TEEN PAGEANT...BEST OF LUCK TO YOU ALL TONIGHT!!!! THE STUDENT LIFE TEAM--CJ, DEBBIE, YVONNE, MATT, HILLEL, DEB, MELBA, BJ, FAIR HALL STAFF, KOOB HALL STAFF, RANEY HALL STAFF AND WILLARD HALL STAFF

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practice. Curtis Sigafoose, Clayton Anderson, Marcus Terry, Sammy Davis, Bradley Pollard, and Jon Mowl. Attended the practice and met Purdue Head Coach Gene Keady

Babies, Babies, Babies! The high school students will be involved in a program called "Baby, Think It Over", which is designed to simulate the responsibilities of having a child. The program discourages teen pregnancy. The program will start next Monday, November 20, and continue until December 6. Each week, the students will have the babies for 3-4 days so. Please be patient with the babies in your classrooms Tue, Friday and Monday until Dec. 6.

CSSD Meeting—For those involved with the CSSD Tournament, there will be a meeting on November 21 at 3:30pm in the Caskey Building.

Technology News - Using the network installed to provide message board in Health Center, we were able to take advantage of that connection to provide additional network services for Health Center and Elementary Department areas. Key staff in these areas now use GroupWise Network rather than Groupwise Remote. Nearly all PCs in these areas have access to our high-speed Internet connection. We will see what we can do to include Preschool, Brown, Koob/Fair and Caskey. Please keep in mind that the network we are using now is **not** the new network we are building, so we continue to try to limit requests to create new user network and email accounts. Thank you. --- Jay Krieger, Director of Technology

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Public Announcement

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SRC Duty

MS Tim Harrold
HS Sharon Baker Gary Nash

Staff Working Off Campus

Linda Charlebois is attending an all-day workshop entitled Best Practices in Creative Problem Solving. Donna Stutler and the Ball State participants will be visiting McClelland Elementary School this morning. They will not be in their classroom assignments.

Staff Absences

Preschool	
Elementary	Brenda Alkhatib (John Lestina is subbing.)
Middle School	
High School	Gary Nash (Kim Galagan is subbing until noon.) Rachel Powers (Mary Glenn Rinne is subbing.)
Principal's Office	
Outreach	Judy Cass

**Mother's Day on Campus
RSVP's as of 11-14-00**

Preschool

1.	Teresa Lesti	Cancelled
2.	Jodee Crace	8:30 – 2:45
3.	Brenda Tingler	8:00- ????
4.	Mandy Jacobs	8:00 - ????
5.	Jackie Katter	Lunch only
6.	Terri Rifkind	8:00 - ????
7.	Christine Wood	8:00 - ????
8.	Laurel Gerbrandt	8:30 – Lunch
9.	Melissa Fowler (Andrew)	8:30 – 12:00
10.	Joan Smith	8:30

11. Jeanne/Molly Peters ????
12. Dawn Nowakoski 8:30 – 10:30

Elementary

1. Mary Keeling and Mary Rose 11:30 – after lunch and taking home James
2. Lora Henry 9:00 – 1:00
3. Kelli Phillips 8:30 – 1:00
4. Jackie Katter Lunch only
5. Tiffany Battice 11- 2:30
6. Lori Dille Lunch only
7. Donna Chapin 8:30 – 12:30
8. Tammy Ralstin 9:00 – 1:00
9. Marilyn Ogan 8:45 – After lunch
10. Cortney Russell ??????--?????
11. Karen Grandt 8:30 – after lunch with 3rd grade
12. Mich Bignell 8:30 – after lunch
13. Gin Glossenger 8:30 - 12
14. Theresa Burton 8:30 – 1:00 (if weather permitting)
15. Cassia Margolis 8:30 - ????
16. Connie Greef (Jayla) 8:00 – 1:30
17. Leithia Whited 12:30 – 1:00
18. Sharon Schuitema 8:30 – 1:00
19. Debbie Fetzner ????-????
20. Jodee Crace 8:30 – 2:45
21. Brenda Tingler 8:00 - ????
22. April Taylor (India) Lunch
23. Sharee Peques? 8:00- 12:15
24. Joan Smith 8:30-????
25. Rosamaria Guerrero 8:30 – 3 (wants interpreter)
26. Julie Brink 8:30 – 1
27. Jeanne and Molly Peters ????
28. Chantel Cole 8:30 – 3 (wants interpreter)
29. Carmie Bergman lunch
30. Maureen Baldanado will attend
31. Rosalind Hughes will attend
32. Andrea Morrill 9:00 – 12:20

Middle School

1. Jane Neemer 11:00 – 3:00
2. Tina Elkins 8:30 - ????. would like to spend the night
3. Karen Grandt 8:30 – after 3rd grade lunch
4. Barb Gantt 8:30 - ????
5. Linda Lechner 10:00 – 1:00 PM

High School

1. Deb Robarge lunch only

2. Wendy Whiting lunch - ????
3. Vicki Chew 8:30 – 1:00
4. Stephanie Ruddy 8:30- after lunch
5. Tammi Hossler maybe stay for lunch
6. Teri Paulone 8:30 – 9 ---1:0
7. Adele Berry 9:00- ???
8. Evette Porter lunch maybe
9. Mary McClelland& grandmother

ISD Daily Bulletin

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Friday, November 17, 2000

We ourselves feel that what we are doing is just a drop in an ocean. But the ocean would be less because of that missing drop. - Mother Teresa

From Principal Kovatch

Each day, I witness a great many wonderful things happening in the Education Department at ISD. I am lucky to be able to go from department to department and see the many learning experiences that are made possible through the hard work and dedication of the students, staff, parents, and administrators. However, I do not want to keep all this good news to myself, so I have decided to share it with the school community on a weekly basis. I am going to try my best to write a "Friday Wrap-Up," in each Friday's Daily Bulletin and share some of the highlights of the week. Obviously, I will not catch each one. After a few Friday's go by and the readers get the feel of what I am writing about, please let me know of other good things that are happening so I can add them to my weekly list. Keep up the good work!

FRIDAY WRAP-UP

- + Check out the great Middle School science project leaf collections displayed in the MS hallways. Great job!
- + You can't miss the WELCOME sign as you enter the Elementary Department. Made by students, it gives the lobby a warm glow.
- + A creative science lesson in the Elementary Department proved that bottles containing liquids of various colors and consistencies can be very effective.
- + Want to know more about idioms and see a very innovative bulletin board? Check out the main hallway in the Middle School!
- + The High School election process imitated real life! It (also) ended in a tie. However, the high school election process coordinators demonstrated their efficiency and broke the tie in less than 24 hours (unlike our national election). Congratulations to Willie McWhirther and Michael Muckenfuss, HS President and Vice President.
- + Comments galore!!!! Our visitors to ISD marvel at the Bi-Bi Philosophy in practice.
- + The HS Jr. NAD is alive and well. Wait until the school community sees the holiday cards the organization is selling. Get yours early!
- + The Preschool Department teachers are refining the technique of developing portfolios for all of their students. With their leadership in this endeavor, the days of students graduating with a 12-year portfolio can't be far off.
- + Raise the helmets high for HS footballer, Robert Haney, picked to the Indianapolis All-City Team this past week. It is not often that one of our athletes is honored in this big city. Those, who watched him this year, were treated to a surprise every time he touched the ball. Hope his luck continues during round-ball season.
- + Teachers continue to respond positively to the classroom observation process. "Professional Development Therapy", one teacher described it.
- + Our visitors from Switzerland commented that of all the programs they visited, ISD most

resembled their own. They commented that they will try to replicate our curriculum and school philosophy. Quite a compliment to ISD.

- + D.E.A.R. Mrs. Linda Canty, thank you for publicizing, promoting, and monitoring the Drop Everything And Read program. Teachers commented positively about the amount of reading students accomplished in only 15 minutes. Some teachers admitted to stretching the time a little (a lot!). Can Drop Everything And Write..., etc.... be far off?
- + Good thoughts, random acts of kindness, a restful weekend, and Happy Thanksgiving break to all.

Today's Activities

8:15	D. Larson	Assess
12:30	Classes dismiss	
1:00	Education staff meets in the Auditorium.	

Today's Menu

Lunch
Ham & Beans
Chicken Grill Fettuccini*
Fried Potatoes
Cornbread
Applesauce

HOOSIERS HELPING HOOSIERS

Join other State of Indiana employees by donating non-perishable food or toiletries to needy Hoosiers. Donation bins are located in:
Alumni Hall (Outside the Mailroom)
Willard Cafeteria (Outside the Secretary's Office)
Brown Cafeteria (Outside the Secretary's Office)
Items can be donated through December 8.

Upcoming Events

Friday, November 17	Class Dismiss (12:30) Education Staff Meeting in the Auditorium
Saturday, November 18	Black Deaf Advocates (BDA) meet in Room 7111 of Vocational (3:00 - 7:00)
Week of November 27 - December 1 Library)	Scholastic Book Fair (8:30 am to 2:30 daily in the Alumni Hall

Announcements

Athletic News - Yeah! Two straight victories have occurred with last night's win against Trader Point. The 7th/8th Grade Boys Team won by 14 points. The final score was ISD 48 and Traders Point 34. Jon Mowl played well and scored 21 points. Bradley Pollard scored 15 followed by Calvin Doudt's 12 points. The team's current record is 2 wins and 0 losses.

Holiday Sale Tomorrow! - All profits will benefit PTCO's Playground Fund. The holiday sale is similar to a garage sale except gift-wrapping will be available. There are many young children's items that are new or gently used and suitable for gift giving. You may find that perfect gift for your little one at half the price. (There is some adult merchandise also.) This is a cash only sale. The generosity of the ISD community has been wonderful. Thank you for taking the time to donate your items.

Where: Indiana Deaf School û Preschool Gym

When: Saturday, November 18, 2000

Time: 11:00am û 3:00pm

News from the Switchboard - Just reminder that when you call any number like a pager or your bank or any type of telecommunication and don't finish the call, it will ring back to me. I then finish the call or get to hear the end of the message. So, please make sure you complete all calls before you hang up. Thank you.

Athletic Schedule Changes - HS Wrestling on 12/12/00 vs. Carroll has been cancelled.

HS Boys Basketball - The JV game with Morton Memorial on November 21 has been cancelled. The Varsity Team will still play at 7:30.

Lost and Found – Please check with the Principal's Office when you loss or find items. Pam Lewis in Building 6, Room 117 keeps lost items for a full school year. Even if you lost something sometime ago, please check with her. Presently, she has a hat that goes to a coat, one glove, 2 prescription glasses, 4 sets of keys, a brand new key still on the cardboard, and a watch. Recently, two keys were turned in to her that were found in Building 6's parking lot. They don't look like vehicle keys. They are on a key ring with "99" on it. She gets all kinds of items o please check with her.

Library News – Check out these websites: <http://www.studyweb.com> . It has a database for a wide range of subject areas. Also under <http://www.lightspan.com>, there are areas for teachers, parents and children.

Flower Fund – Currently, our flower fund is in the red. I would like to thank everyone who continues to support this fund. If you would ever like to see our "accounting" of spending, please feel free to stop by my office and I will be happy to share this information with you. If you would like to contribute, please stop by my office! Again, thanks to everyone for their continued help and support of the Flower Fund. – Mary Rice

Visitors - Beech Grove High School students and staff (5 students and a proctor) will come here to visit ASL/Deaf Studies and watch one of teachers teach Distance Learning today. They will be at ISD for a short time beginning at 2:00 pm.

Technology News - Using the network installed to provide message board in Health Center, we were able to take advantage of that connection to provide additional network services for Health Center and Elementary Department areas. Key staff in these areas now use GroupWise Network rather than Groupwise Remote. Nearly all PCs in these areas have access to our high-speed Internet connection. We will see what we can do to include Preschool, Brown, Koob/Fair and Caskey. Please keep in mind that the network we are using now is **not** the new network we are building, so we continue to try to limit requests to create new user network and email accounts. Thank you. --- Jay Krieger, Director of Technology

Babies, Babies, Babies! The high school students will be involved in a program called "Baby, Think It Over", which is designed to simulate the responsibilities of having a child. The program discourages teen pregnancy. The program will start next Monday, November 20, and continue until December 6. Each week, the students will have the babies for 3-4 days so. Please be patient with the babies in your classrooms Tue, Friday and Monday until Dec. 6.

CSSD Meeting—For those involved with the CSSD Tournament, there will be a meeting on November 21 at 3:30pm in the Caskey Building.

Winter Athletic Schedule Changes – Please update your athletic schedules with the following changes:

HS Girls Basketball – The January 21 game against Ft. Wayne Christian begins at 6:30 and will be played at Taylor University.

HS Boys Basketball – December 1 game at Tabernacle beginning at 6:00 and 7:00.

MS Boys Basketball – The Traders Point game is located at 7860 Lafayette Road.

Education Staff – The Education staff needs to report to the Auditorium on Friday, November 17 at 1:00 pm. Mr. Kovatch will lead a discussion on accreditation.

ADA-Indiana Announces Grant Opportunity – ADA-Indiana is accepting proposals for Community ADA Implementation projects costing up to \$1,500. Schools may apply for these funds by submitting a proposal by December 15, 2000. The group is soliciting proposals that especially focus on:

- Targeting high school youth participation in ADA implementation
- Helping people with disabilities know more about their rights and responsibilities under ADA
- Targeting ADA implementation in small communities
- Targeting businesses to know more about employment of people with disabilities and public accommodations
- Targeting ADA training for professional and trade associations
- Targeting transportation compliance

- Targeting unserved or culturally diverse populations

For more information, contact Vicki Pappas, Fiscal Agent of ADA-Indiana, at 812-855-6508 or email at adainfo@indiana.edu.

Public Announcement

ASL Festival – WASLTA is sponsoring an ASL Festival at the Greater Indianapolis Deaf Club on November 18 from 12:30 to 4:00. Prize will be awarded for the ASL Storytelling Contest. Admission is \$3.00 for Children (5—11), \$4.00 for Teens (12-17) and \$5.00 for Adults.

Staff Working Off Campus

Bob Kovatch is attending a workshop on Article 7 from 8:00 to noon.

Lori Dille is attending a committee meeting on the First Steps Point of Entry.

Linda Charlebois and Purdue intern audiologist, Jason Galster, will be screening the hearing of students at Knightstown Soldiers and Sailors Home today.

The following staff members will be attending the School-to-Work Building Bridges Project Today: Jerry Backus,

Suzanne Bono, Beth Fields, Mary Power, Jeff Richards and Kay Sellers.

Other staff members attending workshops are: David Bailey (Elem), David Catt (MS), Nancy Caraboa, (MS),

Catherine Rahn (MS), Jackie McBroom (HS), and Carol Wild (Outreach).

Staff Absences

Preschool	Mike Paulone (Late)
Elementary	Chris Fetzner (Mary Glenn Rinne is subbing.)
	Dawn Walker (Kim Galagan is subbing.)
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	Sue Jones (Late)
Middle School	Jerry Thixton (Late)
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	Rachel Powers
Principal's Office	
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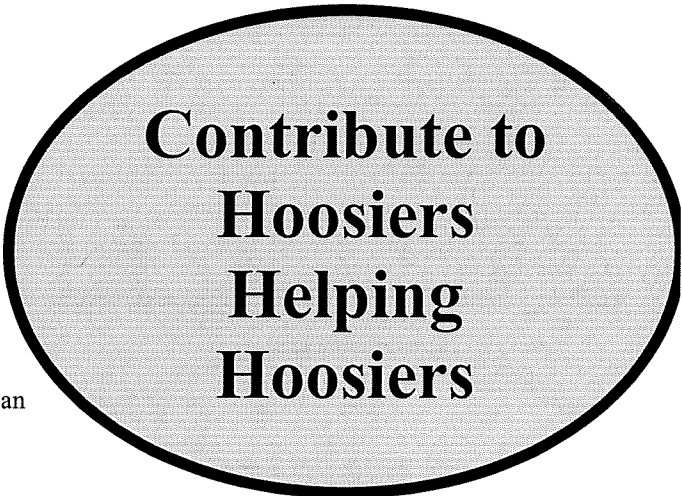
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Monday, November 20, 2000

The whole art of teaching is only the art of awakening the natural curiosity of young minds for the purpose of satisfying it afterwards. – Anatole France

Today's Activities

8:30	S. Davis	Testing
9:00	D. Smith	Testing
10:00	R. Alexander	ACR2
11:00	K. Ogan CC	
1:00	M. Johnson	CC
	J. Dean	ACR
2:30	E. Nealy	ACR2
3:30	Church Services in Elementary	
	Willard Boys will play kickball in the Willard Gym.	
	4-H Project in the Art Room	
4:00	C. Lester	CC
4:30	MS Boys Basketball at home against Heritage Christian	
6:30	Church Services for Koob & Fair Hall students	



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Today's Menu

Lunch

Smoked Sausage
Veal Parmesean*
Soup/Crackers
Salad
Pineapple

Dinner

Beef Manhattan
Mashed Potatoes
Spinach
Peaches

Breakfast

Orange Juice
Cereal
Poached Eggs
Bacon
Cinnamon Bread

Upcoming Activities

November 21	HS Wrestling at home against Northwest (4:30)
	MS Boys Basketball at home against St. Richards (4:30)
	Junior & Senior Girls will cook Thanksgiving in Pod 2. (4:30).
	HS Girls Basketball at Kokomo Christian (7:00)
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Announcements

Accreditation Update – Thank you to all of the staff who were presenters, facilitators and participants in the accreditation work last Friday afternoon. As Dr. Costello left after visiting all of the departments, he remarked that he was impressed with the commitment shown by the staff so far. He also offered words of advise that we should make sure that all of the goals we develop should focus on student achievement. He said that student achievement was the main theme for which the NCA review team will look during their visit. With that in mind, each department should review last Friday's work and make sure the goals meet

NCA expectations. This must be accomplished before our December 8th session. Thanks you for your hard work.

Open Enrollment – Information explaining open enrollment for all employees will be explained in a packet, which you will receive with your paycheck on November 22. If you have questions, please contact Toni Halson in Personnel.

Attention, HS Basketball Teams - Varsity Girls and Boys Basketball Teams will have meeting with their coaches and Athletic Director Bippus on Tuesday, November 21 at 3:45 p.m. in the Caskey classroom about fundraising. All varsity players must attend this meeting. Please be on time.

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Mothers Luncheon Update - More than 50 mothers attended the Mother's Day events last Thursday. We even had a Spanish interpreter for the day. The activities centered around "Defining the BiBi Philosophy". Deaf moms broke into their group, and hearing moms were together so that each could use their native language. Then, all six groups shared their discussions. Look for the Bulletin Board in Alumni Hall to find out what they had to say. A panel of mothers followed that talked about their experiences before and after BiBi was implemented. The panelists were: Mary Dall, Jane McWhirter, Deb Robarge and Debbie Fetzer. There were many, many positive comments made about the day. Thanks to all those who helped make the day very special, especially Barb Gantt, Tammi Hossler, Molly Peters, Lori Dille and Brenda Tress-Mowl.

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Opportunities

Distance Learning Opportunities for Students

November 30	JASON Project XII Curriculum Training 4:00 – 8:00 pm
December 4	Clockwork Genes – Biology in Four Dimensions, Howard Hughes Medical Institute 10:00 – 11:00 am
December 12	Clockwork Genes – Perfect Timing, Howard Hughes Medical Institute 10:00 – 11:00 am
January 18	Dr. Julianne Malveaux, USA Today Columnist, Master Scholar Series 8:30 – 9:30 am
January 24	A World Tour of Folk Tales, Dan LeMonnier 10:00 –11:00
February 2	Dr. Alvin Poussiant, Noted Psychologist, Master Scholars Series 8:30 – 9:30 am
February 7	Follow the North Star, Connor Prairie Times and dates are varied.
March – May	Connor Prairie Virtual Fieldtrip, Connor Prairie Times are varied.
April 24	Sheep to Blanket, Connor Prairie 9:15 or 1:00
Assorted Dates	Amazing Amazon, Indianapolis Zoo (Times are varied.) Begins November 20 and ends February 26.
Custom Events	Aquatic Research Institute will customize an event based on your students' and curriculum needs.

The above events are new. Additional events with their descriptions including subject area, age level and content are available at <http://www.visionthema.K12.in.us>.

An excellent source for distance learning events and programs outside Indiana is <http://www.kn.pacbell.com/wired/vidconf/adventures.html>. It has seventy-six sites that provide distance learning programs from Washington, DC to California and Florida to New York. Many of the sites will customize programs for your students and curriculum.

Also you can contact Dan Stutler at extension 414 or by email at djstutler@isfd.state.in.us for more information.

Distance Learning Opportunities for Staff

National Board Certification January 9 4:40 - 4:40
Will You Be Financially Fit When You Hit the Rule 85? January 10 & 11 4:00 - 4:40
Wellness for Educators (2 credits) January 16, February 6 and 20, and March 6 and 20 4:00 - 4:40
Secondary Science Methods (3 credits) January 17, 24, 31, February 14, 21, 28 and March 8 and 15 3:30 - 4:10
Secondary Reading & Writing (2 credits) January 18, 25, February 8, 15 and 22 3:30 - 4:10
Differentiated Instruction (2 credits) January 23, February 7, March 7, 14 and 27 4:40 - 4:40
Technology & Multimedia (2 credits) February 13, 27, March 13, 22, April 10 and 17 4:00 - 4:40
Educators Dressing for Success March 1 & 21 4:00 - 4:40
Authentic Assessment (2 credits) April 11, 18, 24 and 26 4:00 - 4:40
For more information on these classes, please contact Dan Stutler at extension 414 or by email at djstutler@isfd.state.in.us.

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MS Carol Keller
HS Darin Turner Jerry Backus

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Middle School	Sondra Gullion
High School	Melba Scalf
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ISD Daily Bulletin

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Tuesday, November 21, 2000

Experience is not what happens to you. It is what you do with what happens to you. – Aldous Huxley

Count Your Blessings

by Rod Smith, Indianapolis Star (11/18/00, page A19)

“If you woke up this morning with more health than illness, you are more blessed than the million who will not survive this week. If you have never experienced the danger of battle, the loneliness of imprisonment, the agony of torture, or the pangs of starvation, you are ahead of 500 million people in the world. If you can attend a church meeting without fear of harassment, arrest, torture or death, you are more blessed than three billion people in the world.”

“If you have food in the refrigerator, clothes on your back, a roof overhead and a place to sleep, you are richer than 75 percent of the world. If you have money in the bank...

spare change in a dish someplace, you are among the top 8 percent of the world's wealth.”

“If your parents are still alive and are still married to each other, you are very rare, even in the United States. If you hold up your head with a smile on your face and are truly thankful, you are blessed because the majority of people can, but most do not. If you can hold someone's hand, hug or even touch him or her on the shoulder, you are blessed because you can offer a healing touch.”

“If you can read this message, you just received a double blessing in that someone was thinking of you, and furthermore, you are more blessed than over two billion people in the world who cannot read at all.”

“Have a good day, count your blessings, and pass this along to remind everyone else how blessed we all are.”

Today's Activities

8:30	T. Spears	CC
9:00	D. Franz	HE
10:00	A. Garcia	CC
	E. Stufflebeam	HE
11:00	A. McGlothlin	CC
1:00	S. Margolis-Greenbaum	CC
2:00	B. Brown	ACR
3:15	A. McGlothlin	Staffing
4:30	HS Wrestling at home against Northwest	
	MS Boys Basketball at home against St. Richards	
	Junior & Senior Girls will cook Thanksgiving in Pod 2.	
6:30	Cub Scouts	
7:00	HS Girls Basketball at Kokomo Christian	
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	Senior boys will improvise their cooking skills by cooking a meal.	

Today's Menu

Lunch
Ham Steak
Salisbury Steak*

Dinner
Roast Pork
Cheesy Noodles

Breakfast
Orange Juice
Cereal

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Seasoned Peas
Applesauce

Waffles
Sausage

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Announcements

Sports Update – T7th and 8th Grade Boys Basketball Team played its most exciting game yet this season! ISD played a very hot game against Heritage Christian. The team played hard but lost by three points. ISD 33 and Heritage Christian 36. John Mowl scored 19 points with 5 steals and 3 assists. Bradley Pollard scored 9 points and had 11 rebounds, 8 steals and 3 assists. Calvin Doudt scored 6 points with 5 rebounds and 2 steals. The team's current record is 2 wins and 1 loss. Coach Sigafoose is really proud of the way the team played hard to the end.

Accreditation Update: After yesterday's Accreditation Update appeared in the Daily Bulletin, several staff members asked about Dr. Costello's advice in regards to all of the goals being focused on student performance. If your department is involved in discussions on this, please forward Mr. Kovatch a copy of your goals (developed so far). All goals will be faxed to Dr. Costello for his review and feedback. Upon their return, they will be sent back to the department representatives in time for more discussion before the December 8, 2000 waiver day work session. Thank you in advance for your commitment and hard work.

Athletic News – The Swim Meet scheduled for January 24, 2001 with Clinton will be for only the girl swimmers.

Upcoming Activity Periods

November 22	JR. NAD Leadership Series for HS (Middle School Math Program 8-11 in the Auditorium)
November 29	Jr. NAD Meeting in Vocational
December 6	Jr. NAD Meeting in Vocational
December 13	MS/HS in Auditorium - Student Survey by the School Profile Committee
December 20	Jr. NAD Meeting in Vocational

Library News – Thanks to all for participating in the successful D.E.A.R. activity last week. I hope you enjoyed the opportunity to read in silence for a few minutes daily. We will do that again in the spring. If you have any ideas or suggestions on how motivate the students in reading, please contact Linda Canty.

Need An Atlas – Check out the website : Check out this address for the electronic atlas: <http://atlas.ulib.iupui.edu>

New Items in the Stella Cellar – The Stella Cellar is proud to assist PTCO with its Playground Renovation Fund. The Stellar Cellar will be selling baby bibs and youth-sized T-shirts. Join The Stellar Cellar in showing pride by purchasing these items. All proceeds from these items will be donated to the Playground Fund. The Stellar Cellar is located in Room G44 (Alumni Hall. Store hours are Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays from 7:45 am to 3:30pm and Tuesdays and Thursdays from 7:45 am to 4:00 pm.

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Public Announcement

For the past 9 years, Jerry Bass has interpreted the Annual Circle of Lights Ceremony, and will do so again this Friday evening. This event is always held the Friday evening following Thanksgiving. It's traditional for many Indianapolis folks to celebrate the beginning of Christmas by coming downtown to shop and see the official lighting of the Monument. The ceremony begins at and ends at 7:30 p.m. Deaf families with their children and families with deaf children are invited to come. A reserved section for the Deaf community is located in front of the platform (North steps of the Monument Circle). Simply tell the officials that you'd like to go to the reserved section. We encourage you to come early to make sure you can get a place, you can imagine how difficult it would be to move about, with 100,000 people on the circle. For more information about this annual event, please read the following press release that was put out by Indianapolis Downtown, Inc.: One of Downtown Indianapolis' most beloved holiday traditions is here again. Circle of Lights presented

by Methodist Medical Group will take place the day after Thanksgiving, Nov. 24. The updated and enhanced holiday decor unveiled last season will adorn the Soldiers & Sailors Monument on Monument Circle and light up the buildings, sidewalks and trees surrounding the monument.

More than 100,000 spectators are expected for the Circle of Lights presented by Methodist Medical Group ceremonial lighting and holiday kickoff on that Friday. Live entertainment begins at 6 p.m. with the televised show running from 7 - 8 p.m. The actual lighting will occur at approximately 7:50 p.m. The decorations on the Soldiers & Sailors Monument will look familiar - 52 garland strands with 4,638 colored lights, strung from the top of the monument to its base. Added last year were larger-than-life toy soldiers and peppermint sticks, which will be on display around Monument Circle. The scene is complete with 56,700 twinkle lights in trees that add shimmer to the area's walkways. Millions of sightseers take in this brilliant spectacle throughout the holiday season until after the first of the new year. The decoration of Monument Circle is one of central Indiana's favorite holiday traditions, drawing generations of families each year to share in the spirit of the season for this, the 38th year. As the official presenting sponsor of Circle of Lights, the physicians of Methodist Medical Group recognize this time-honored holiday tradition and are again pleased to help bring this free event to the people of Indiana. Methodist Medical Group is a non-profit medical group with more than 7 physicians caring for patients of all ages, located in and around the greater Indianapolis area.

Indianapolis Downtown, Inc. (IDI) coordinates the Circle of Lights presented by Methodist Medical Group each year. IDI exists to improve Downtown. It is action-oriented and addresses critical issues that affect Downtown's growth and well-being. IDI focuses on three areas: development, management and marketing.

SRC Duty

MS	Scotty Zwicker
HS	Darin Turner Jerry Backus

Staff Working Off Campus

Staff Absences

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Elementary	Gretchen Krug (Mary Glenn Rinne is subbing.) Monica Byrum (Jill Lestina is subbing.) Sandy Hakes
Middle School	Sondra Gullion (Kim Galagan is subbing.)
High School	Ron Borron Beth Fields
Principal's Office	
Outreach	Diane Hazel-Jones Deb Liebrick Terri Motter

ISD DAILY BULLETIN

Issue 2, Number 70

Wednesday, November 22, 2000

"It is therefore recommended... to set apart Thursday the eighteenth day of December next, for solemn thanksgiving and praise, that with one heart and one voice the good people may express the grateful feelings of their hearts and consecrate themselves to the service of their divine benefactor..."

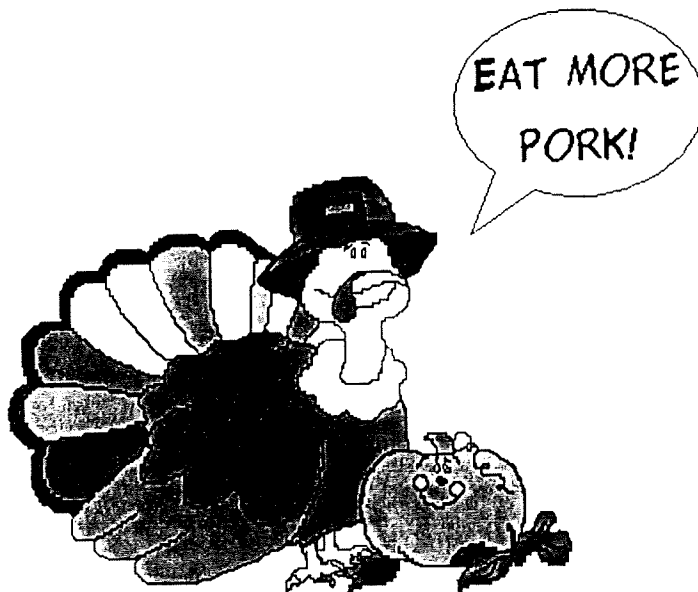
SAMUEL ADAMS, *Father of the American Revolution*

November 1, 1777 (adopted by the 13 states as the first official Thanksgiving Proclamation)

HAVE A GREAT THANKSGIVING!!

Pum-pum, Pum-pum, Pumpkin Pie!

I like turkey—the dressing's cool
With potatoes round a gravy pool,
The thing that really makes me sigh
Is pum-pum, pum-pum, pumpkin pie!



When it is Thanksgiving Day
Aunt Edna comes from far away.
I kiss her cheek, it makes her cry,
I do it all for pumpkin pie.
Oh! Pum-pum, pum-pum, pumpkin pie!

The time is close, I start to stutter
And stick my finger in the butter.
As mom asks, "Now?" "Oh! Yeah!" I cry,
"A big HIGH FIVE for pumpkin pie!
Yes!!! Pum-pum, pum-pum, pumpkin pie!"

END OF THE WEEK FOCUS

By Principal Bob Kovatch

What a fast week! It is inspiring to see staff putting five days of educational activities in two-and-a-half day week.

- ❖ We are lucky to enjoy such a visual environment full of student work displays. Check out the Health classes' posters in the Caskey hallway.
- ❖ A first year staff member raved about the professionalism, commitment and sharing attitudes exhibited by our staff.
- ❖ A preschool student commented, "Who are you? ... I'm _____," and then proceeded to engage in a conversation including jokes (Isn't the Bi-Bi Philosophy at work beautiful?).
- ❖ The giant book looks great outside of the main library.
- ❖ Handshaped fingerspelling signs in the Preschool Department are an ASL/ESL testimony.

- ❖ Department bulletin boards with the pictures of staff members are always a gathering place for visitors who appreciate the introduction and identification.
- ❖ In the season of recognizing how grateful we are, here is a random list:
 - ✓ The more than 300 students we are able to work with daily.
 - ✓ Involved parents
 - ✓ Dedicated staff in pursuit of excellence
 - ✓ Message boards and ISDTV
 - ✓ Computers
 - ✓ The promise of email and internet access in our classrooms
 - ✓ The Bi-Bi Philosophy and the progress made through ASLPI.
 - ✓ High expectations becoming common practice
- ❖ Best wishes for a wonderful Thanksgiving Break for the entire ISD School Community.

TODAY'S ACTIVITIES

8:00 Middle School's Math Contest in the Auditorium

8:45 High School students go to the Second Floor Coed for a discuss of leadership

TODAY'S MENU

Lunch

Cheeseburger

Vegetable Lasagna*

French Fries

English Toffee Ice Cream Bar

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

Week of November 27 – December 1

Scholastic Book Fair (8:30 am to 2:30 daily in the Alumni Hall Library)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Class A Football State Championship – Robert Haney's interview will be broadcast on Friday, November 24 on Channel 40 (WHMB-TV) during the half-time of the Class A Championship Game at the RCA Dome. The interview will show Robert and Coach Reynolds in their recent interview about "Robert Haney" and his special accomplishments this year during the half-time.

Sports Update – The MS Boys basketball Team played very well for three quarters last night in its game against St. Richards. But, in the fourth quarter St. Richards shut out ISD. ISD lost by 9 points with a final score of ISD 37 and St. Richards 46. Jon Mowl scored 10 points with 4 steals. Calvin Doudt also scored 10 points. Bradley at 9 points and 7 rebounds. Stanley Marigold scored 6 points with 8 rebounds, and Marcus Terry had 11 rebounds. The team's current record is 2 wins and 2 losses. Coach Sigafoose says to keep up the hard work!

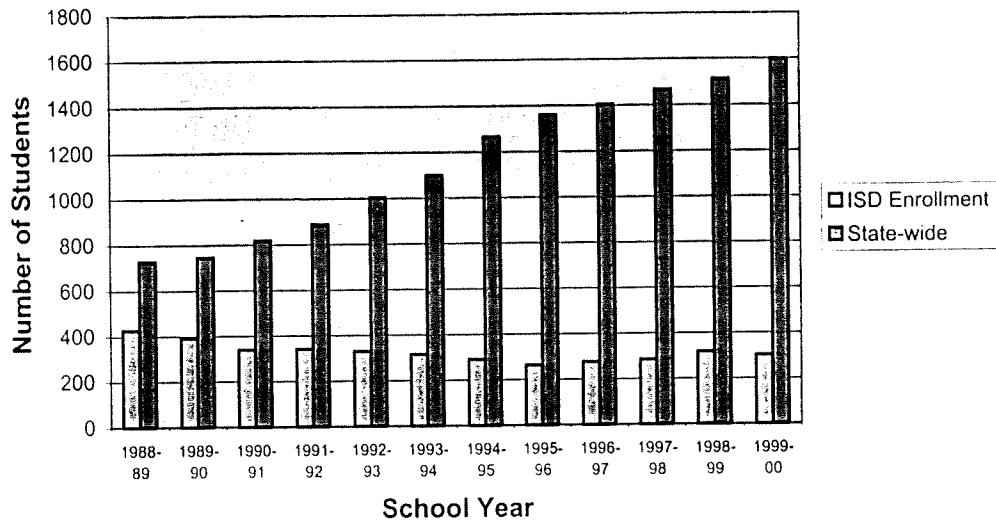
Kokomo Christian 39 Indiana 32 (HS Girls Basketball)

What a big turnaround from our previous game! We played well as a team last night. The game was close in the first 3 quarters before we fell in the fourth quarter. I am really pleased with our team's effort. Keep up with your hard work, Girls! I know that you can do it! a Nice Thanksgiving! Our current Record is 0 – 2, and our next game is against Bethesda Christian on November 28th. - Ken Kramer



Student Enrollment Comparisons

Total Hearing Impaired Enrollment Vs. ISD Enrollment



Need Holiday Gift Ideas? – The Stellar Cellar has a wide range of gifts including holiday planters. Check out the selection! The students of Job Skills Training Center enjoy making snack baskets and planters for any occasion. These baskets and arrangements can help to make any meeting, family gathering, or department function more grand. Stop by or call your order in. TTY/V 920-6281, THE STELLAR CELLAR, Alumni Hall Room G-44. M-W-F 7:45 – 3:30 T-TH 7:45 – 4:00 (Closed for lunch 11:00-12:00)



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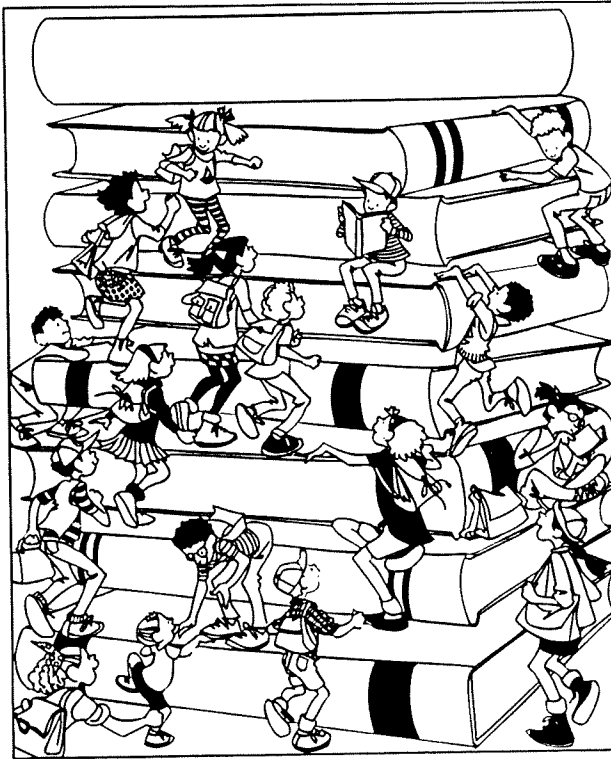
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Monday, November 27, 2000

Time is a great teacher, but unfortunately it kills all of its pupils. – Hector Louis Berlioz

ANNUAL BOOK FAIR



Don't forget the Book Fair this week in the Alumni Hall Library from 8:30 am to 2:30 pm. The books in the fair are provided by Scholastic Books. Profits from the sale support library services at ISD. Scholastic Books offers many titles for children from preschool through high school. Some books like the Harry Potter Series even appeal to adults. This is an excellent opportunity to get some Christmas gifts for your children, students, grandchildren and friends while also supporting our library.

English and Reading teachers have signed up to bring their classes to the Book Fair. Please check the schedule posted in your department to verify your time and date. If you have not done so, please see Linda Canty to sign up. Your cooperation is greatly appreciated. Thank you for supporting our libraries.

TODAY'S ACTIVITIES

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| 8:30 | Scholastic Book Fair in the Alumni Hall Library until 2:30 pm | |
| 9:00 | D. Smith | Testing |
| 9:30 | F. Bippus | ACR |
| 11:00 | O. Szpakowski | CC |
| 1:00 | A. Giesting | ACR |
| 2:00 | A. Morris | CC |
| 3:00 | A. Feldhoff | Staffing |
| 3:30 | Church Services in Elementary | |
| | Willard boys will create with Leggos. | |

**Contribute to
Hoosiers
Helping
Hoosiers**

points each. The coaches were very pleased with the outcome of the game, but felt that the defense transition needs to be improved. Record 1-0.

Babies, Babies, Babies! The high school students will be involved in a program called "Baby, Think It Over", which is designed to simulate the responsibilities of having a child. The program discourages teen pregnancy. The program will start next Monday, November 20, and continue until December 6. Each week, the students will have the babies for 3-4 days so. Please be patient with the babies in your classrooms Tue, Friday and Monday until Dec. 6.

OPPORTUNITIES

Distance Learning Opportunities for Students

November 30	JASON Project XII Curriculum Training 4:00 – 8:00 pm
December 4	Clockwork Genes – Biology in Four Dimensions, Howard Hughes Medical Institute 10:00 – 11:00 am
December 12	Clockwork Genes – Perfect Timing, Howard Hughes Medical Institute 10:00 – 11:00 am
January 18	Dr. Julianne Malveaux, USA Today Columnist, Master Scholar Series 8:30 – 9:30 am
January 24	A World Tour of Folk Tales, Dan LeMonnier 10:00 – 11:00
New	January 25 Jekyll and Mr. Hyde, Clowes Hall 1:00 – 2:00 (Drugs in School for ELEM & MS students)
February 2	Dr. Alvin Poussiant, Noted Psychologist, Master Scholars Series 8:30 – 9:30 am
February 7	Follow the North Star, Connor Prairie Times and dates are varied.
March – May	Connor Prairie Virtual Fieldtrip, Connor Prairie Times are varied.
April 24	Sheep to Blanket, Connor Prairie 9:15 or 1:00
Assorted Dates	Amazing Amazon, Indianapolis Zoo (Times are varied.) Begins November 20 and ends February 26.
Custom Events	Aquatic Research Institute will customize an event based on your students' and curriculum needs.

The above events are new. Additional events with their descriptions including subject area, age level and content are available at <http://www.visionthena.K12.in.us>.

An excellent source for distance learning events and programs outside Indiana is <http://www.kn.pacbell.com/wired/vidconf/adventures.html>. It has seventy-six sites that provide distance learning programs from Washington, DC to California and Florida to New York. Many of the sites will customize programs for your students and curriculum.

Also you can contact Dan Stutler at extension 414 or by email at djstutler@isfd.state.in.us for more information.

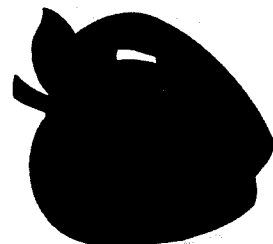
Distance Learning Opportunities for Staff

National Board Certification	January 9	4:40 0 4:40
Will You Be Financially Fit When You Hit the Rule 85?	January 10 & 11	4:00 – 4:40
Wellness for Educators (2 credits)	January 16, February 6 and 20, and March 6 and 20	4:00 – 4:40
Secondary Science Methods (3 credits)	January 17, 24, 31, February 14, 21, 28 and March 8 and 15	3:30 – 4:10
Secondary Reading & Writing (2 credits)	January 18, 25, February 8, 15 and 22	3:30 – 4:10
Differentiated Instruction (2 credits)	January 23, February 7, March 7, 14 and 27	4:40 – 4:40
Technology & Multimedia (2 credits)	February 13, 27, March 13, 22, April 10 and 17	4:00 – 4:40
Educators Dressing for Success	March 1 & 21	4:00 – 4:40
Authentic Assessment (2 credits)	April 11, 18, 24 and 26	4:00 – 4:40

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SRC DUTY

MS	Dan Fitzpatrick	
HS	Sharon Baker	Loretta Hammel



PTCO NEWSLETTER

FALL 2000

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*All members names, addresses, and phone numbers are listed in the directory.

News from the Co-Presidents

This year PTCO has made some exciting structural changes. PTCO now consists of nine voting members that include parents, teachers, and a counselor. The Superintendent and the Family Resource Coordinator are attending members. In order to restructure, the By-Laws were amended by the previous board and updated. PTCO is also restructuring in other ways too, going to Event Chairpeople and eliminating some of the committees that existed in the past.

Events and Chairpeople:

Registration Day: Rick and Marilyn Ogan
Teacher Appreciation Breakfast: Rick Ogan
Ice Cream Social/Deaf Heritage Week: Sharon Schuitema
PTCO Day: Barb Gantt
Newsletter: Tami Hossler
Advertising: Tami Hossler
Directory: Rick Ogan
History and PTCO Logo: Wendy Brimmer

PTCO Day: PTCO Day is May 6th. If you have ideas for PTCO Day or want to help out, contact Barb Gantt.

Fundraising: If you are interested in serving on the Ways and Means Committee, please contact John Polstra.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

HELP IS NEEDED AT THE CONCESSION STAND DURING BOYS' HIGH SCHOOL HOME BASKETBALL GAMES. IF YOU CAN HELP, PLEASE CONTACT MELBA BIPPUS AT MBIPPUS@ISFD.STATE.IN.US OR CALL HER AT (317) 924-8403 TTY.

Dec. 19th at 6:30 p.m.: one person is needed
Jan. 11th at 6:30: one person is needed
Jan. 20th at 1:30 and 3:30: two people are needed
Jan. 25th CSSD at 7:00 p.m.: one person is needed
Jan. 25th CSSD at 9:00 p.m. to closing: one person is needed.
Jan. 26th CSSD at 9:00 p.m.: one person is needed
Jan. 27th CSSD at 8:00 a.m.: one person is needed

“HAPPY HOLIDAYS”



ISD Daily Bulletin

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Tuesday, November 28, 2000

A scholar, who cherishes the love of comfort, is not to be deemed a scholar. – Lao-Tzy

Today's Activities

- 8:00 The MS FACS Class will tour Goodwill Industries this morning.
T. Spears CC
- 8:30 Scholastic Book Fair in the Alumni Hall Library until 2:30 pm
D. Redman Assess
- 11:00 R. Abney CC
- 1:00 R. Bailey ACR
- 2:30 B. Brumfield ACR
- 4:30 HS Wrestling at Broad Ripple
HS Girls Basketball against Bethesda Christian
MS Boys Basketball at Bethesda Christian
- 6:30 Cub Scouts

Today's Menu

Lunch

Pork Chop
Chicken Caesar*
Parsley Potatoes
Spinach
Cookies
Fruit Juice Bar*

Dinner

Baked Chicken
Macaroni & Cheese
Peas
Peaches

Breakfast

Grape Juice
Cereal
ISD Muffin
Danish

Upcoming Activities

November 27 – December 1
November 29

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December 18 – 22

High School Exam Week

Announcements

Current ISD Child Count -

Preschool	36
Elementary	97
MS	63
<u>HS</u>	<u>103</u>
TOTAL	299

Visitors from Illinois School for the Deaf and MacMurray University – Several staff members from Illinois School for the Deaf and MacMurray University will be visiting ISD today from 10:30 to 3:15. They will be learning more about distance learning by visiting Dan Stutler, Beatrice Pfaff, Daniel Smith, Teresa Huckleberry, Darin Turner and Wanda Kirby in the Distance Learning Classrooms, HS Science Lab and the ISDTV Studio. Please give them a Hoosier welcome when you see them.

Climate Audit at ISD – Please join Principal Kovatch in welcoming visitors from Sunny Heights Elementary School. They are at ISD today to conduct a Climate Audit in the Elementary Department. The four people coming are: Kathy Handy, Principal, Wendy Paige, Media Specialist, Linda Willen, Special Education Teacher, and Linda Sprouse, Classroom Assistant. The ISD Climate Audit Team will visit Sunny Heights Elementary on Thursday, November 30.

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Upcoming Activity Periods

November 29	Jr. NAD Meeting in Vocational
December 6	Jr. NAD Meeting in Vocational
December 13	MS/HS in Auditorium - Student Survey by the School Profile Committee
December 20	Jr. NAD Meeting in Vocational

SRC Duty

MS	Dan Fitzpatrick
HS	Jess Blackwell Gary Nash

Public Announcements

Pre Kwanzaa Cultural Marketplace/Holiday Gifts

Saturday, December 9, 2000

12noon – 6pm

Crispus Attucks Gym & Cafeteria

1140 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr., Street

- ❖ **African Centered Vendors**
- ❖ **How-to-do Kwanzaa workshops**
- ❖ **How-to-make Kwanzaa kits and crafts**
- ❖ **How-to-design Kwanzaa decorations**

- ❖ Kwanzaa activities for Children
- ❖ Cultural Food
- ❖ *FREE Admission*

Come and share in this cultural experience of UJAMAA

For more information/vendor space call:

317.226.2430 or 926.3526

Sponsored by: The Indianapolis Kwanzaa Committee & the IPS Office of Multicultural Education

IPS PARENT SUMMIT

Saturday, December 9, 2000

Crispus Attucks Middle School

A unique opportunity for parents and teachers to discuss common educational concerns and develop closer working relationships.

AGENDA

8:00-8:30 Registration/Refreshments

8:30-10:00 General Session – Cafeteria

Welcome/Announcements – Pat Payne, Director, IPS Office of Multicultural Ed
Introduction of Keynote Speaker – Mashariki Jywanza, Project Director,
Africa: Spirit of a Continent Resources

Speaker: Dr. Jawanza Kunjufu, Educational Consultant, Chicago, Illinois

Author - Developing Positive Self-Images and Discipline in Black Children

10:00-10:15 BREAK

10:15-11:15 Concurrent Workshops/Discussion Groups (Select One)

1. *Every Child Will Learn: Multiple Intelligences and Learning Styles*

- Patrick Williams, Teacher, Miami, Florida

2. *GQE-Rescue Me! What You Need to Know about the IPS Pacing Guides*

- Gwendolyn Kelley, IPS Instructional Services Coordinator

3. *Helping Your Child Learn to Love Reading*

- Monette Harrison, IPS Parent Involvement Facilitator

4. *An Introduction to Latino Culture* – Elba Gonzalez, Teacher, Spanish, IPS Manual High School

5. *A Team Approach to Reclaiming and Rebuilding the Village* – Sheryl Wise, Home-School Advisor, Perry Township

6. *Celebrating KWANZAA: Who, What, When, Where, Why & How* - Pat Payne, Director, IPS Office of Multicultural Education

7. *Crispus Attucks Museum Tour: A Celebration of Culture and History*

- Gilbert Taylor, Museum Curator

11:15-11:30 BREAK

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High School	
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A teacher affects eternity; she can never tell where her influence stops. – Henry Brooks Adams

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Cheeseburger (Willard)
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Soup
Chocolate Klondike Bar

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4th-6th Grade Boys Basketball - In its fifth game, the 4th, 5th and 6th Grade Basketball Team faced one of the best teams (Bethesda) this year. We played physically a good defensive game and yet lost by almost 20 points. The final score was 47 to 28. During the first-half we battled against each other 19 to 13. We managed to stop their offensive threat early in the game. However, they caught us at our weaknesses forcing us to lose the ball several times. In the second half we didn't score enough to keep up with them. They scored 14 points each of the third and fourth quarters, while we had a total of 15 points. But, that is how the game is played. Their team actually played good ball game consistently, and we learned from them. Chris Lester, Colin Whited, Gabriel Paulone, Terry Hazzard, AJ Christian, Hipotlito Deluna, Chris Schuitema, Will Fetzer, TJ Neaover, Essam Soomro, and Joshua Ralstin saw action in yesterday's game. Keep up the good work!

HS Girls Basketball - Bethesda Christian 56 Indiana 31

For the past 3 years, the month of November has not been good to our team. Our shots did not fall well for us last night. We shot 27% for the game. The season is still young.; it will be matter of time before things will fall for us. Keep your heads up, girls! Our current record is 0 – 3, and our next game is at Covenant Christian (November 30th).

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MS Dan Fitzpatrick
HS Leithia Whited Gary Nash

Staff Working Off Campus

Staff Absences

Preschool	Kelli Jo Hancock (John Lestina is subbing.) David Ritchie
Elementary	Vacant TA position (Jill Lestina is subbing.) Dave Tester Angie Smith
Middle School	Catherine Rahn
High School	Scotty Zwicker Rachel Powers (In at noon)
Principal's Office	Daniel Smith

Outreach

Judy Cass (Leaving at 12:30)

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Wednesday, December

*Experience is what allows us to make more mistakes,
only with more finesse! – Derwood Fincher*

Gallaudet To Begin Admitting Hearing Undergraduate Students

For the first time in Gallaudet University's 136-year history, hearing students will be admitted as full-time college students beginning in August 2001. This will be a trial program to measure the hearing students' impact on the undergraduate program. Up to two percent (2%) or six students of the freshman class will be hearing students. Officials from Gallaudet state that there have been many requests from hearing students to join Gallaudet as an undergraduate. Gallaudet currently has a program that allows visiting undergraduate students to enroll for a semester or more. Annually, this average about ten hearing students per year.

Astrid Goodstein, Executive Director of Enrollment at Gallaudet stated, "Under no circumstances will hearing students have special accommodations in any place on campus. Not in the classroom, not in the dorms, not in the register's office. They will be treated as equal to our deaf students." Ricky Taylor, a deaf student from Virginia working on his second bachelor degree and a masters, said, "I think the pilot program is a good way for the University to look into the opportunity of accepting hearing students. The student body will change for better because we'll learn from them and the world will be a better place because they will learn from us. In its own way, it will present a lot of challenge, but it will benefit the University and its students."

Jennifer Piroth, a hearing student from the University of Florida in Tampa, said, "Gallaudet offers the cultural immersion that I can't get anywhere else and in order to work with any population successfully, one has to get to know their culture."

The hearing students, who want to attend as undergraduates, must pass the ASLPI, submit SAT or ACT scores, send their high school transcripts and everything else a regular Gallaudet applicant does. (Summarized from *Silent News*, December 2000, Volume 32, Issue 12, pages 1 & 14.

Today's Events

- 8:45 Activity Period – Jr. NAF will meet, and the 8th Graders will meet in Scotty Zwicker's classroom.
- 11:00 High School Class Meetings until 11:45
- 12:30 Some First Graders will go to Primo's to sing a song for the Senior Silent Hoosiers from 12:30 to 2:30.
- 2:30 J. Burke ACR
M. Martinez ACR
- 3:15 Educational Department Meeting
- 6:30 Girl Scouts

LAST DAY
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Today's menu

Lunch

Home Made Chicken
Burritos
Stuffed Peppers*
Breaded Fried Mushrooms
Spanish Rice

Dinner

BBQ Pork Chops
Oven Browned Potatoes
Sour Cream
Spinach
Pineapple

Breakfast

Grape Juice
Cereal
Cheese & Egg Omelet
Sausage

Upcoming Events

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December 18 – 22	High School Exam Week

Announcements

Sports Update

HS Girls Basketball Manual 56 Indiana 37

We fought a tough battle trying to stay close to Manual for three quarters. Our plan was to overtake them in the fourth quarter, but ran out of gas in the middle of the last quarter. Don't give up Girls! Keep on trying! Our current record is 1 – 5; our next game is in the Clerc Classic on December 7.

MS Boys Basketball – Our team has won six straight games!! ISD defeated Morton Memorial by 14 points last night. The final score was ISD 40 to Morton Memorial's 26. Jon Mowl scored 17 points, 8 steals and 4 assists. Bradley Pollard scored 14 points and had 9 rebounds. Sammy Davis scored 6 points, 3 rebounds and 3 steals. The team's current record is 8 wins and 2 losses.

Spanish Speaker Needed - Any Spanish speakers out there? The Health Center would like to know if any ISD staff would be willing to be on call to lend their services in helping to contact Spanish-only speaking parents. This would primarily be if students were sick, injured or we needed to contact these parents with

important health information. If you are willing or would like more information please contact Deb at the Health Center at either ext. 279 or 409. Thanks so much!

Dessert Auction - The Middle School Dessert Auction will be held in the Auditorium on Thursday, December 7 at 8:50 am. MS students and all ISD staff members are invited to attend. Proceeds will go to the playground renovation. Donations of desserts or money will be happily accepted.

Picture Retakes – The retakes will occur on December 14. More information will be provided soon as to the time and location for the retakes.

Gift Bags Available - PTCO Gift Bags are still available. Stop in Diane Jone's office to purchase Holiday Gift Bags. Twenty-three (23) assorted sizes for \$20.00. Only 5 packages left!

Staff Working Off Campus

Teresa Huckleberry is off campus at a workshop today, Thursday and Friday. Jill Lestina is subbing for her.

Dan Stutler will be attending a RFP meeting at Lilly Endowment followed by a Distance Learning Coordinators' Meeting at Perry Meridian High School from 9:30 to 3:00.

SRC Duty

MS	Dan Fitzpatrick
HS	Jerry Backus Sharon Baker

Staff absences

Preschool

Elementary

Middle School	Chris Walters
	Bruce Peters

High School	Kay Sellers
	Linda Lloyd

Principal's Office

Outreach	Brenda Tress-Mowl
	Joyce Connor

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Tuesday, December 5, 2000

Experience is the mother of science. – Henry George Bohm

Today's Events

8:00	J. Lacy	CC
8:15	A. Acres	Assess
9:00	Education Team Meeting in the Principal's Office	
	D. Franz	HE
10:00	A. McGlothlin	CC
12:00	A. Archer	ACR
1:30	M. Alcozer	ACR
2:00	B. Brown	ACR
3:30	Parents As Employees in MPR	
4:30	HS Boys Basketball at Park Tudor	
	HS Girls Basketball with Manual	
	HS Swimming against Cathedral	
6:00	MS Boys Basketball against Morton Memorial	
6:30	Cub Scouts	

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Chicken Fricassee*
Mashed Potatoes
Seasoned Baby Carrots
Apricots

Dinner

Baked Ravioli
Mixed Vegetables
Salad
Cookies

Breakfast

Orange Juice
Cereal
Poached Eggs
Bacon

Upcoming Events

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New Meeting - A meeting entitled Parents as Employees is scheduled for today from 3:30 to 4:30 in the Multi-Purpose Room. Facilitators for the meeting will be Glenda Zmijewski and Diane Hazel-Jones. The topic will be how our roles are different than parents who do not work at ISD.

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Visitor - Saul Gevarter, a Computer Literacy teacher from the Maryland School for the Deaf, will be at ISD today. G. Zmijewski will coordinate his visit to see how technology supports the curriculum.

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Babies, Babies, Babies! The high school students will be involved in a program called "Baby, Think It Over", which is designed to simulate the responsibilities of having a child. The program discourages teen pregnancy. The program will start next Monday, November 20, and continue until December 6. Each week, the students will have the babies for 3-4 days so. Please be patient with the babies in your classrooms Tue, Friday and Monday until Dec. 6.

Technology News - For the month of November 2000, ISD received 62,312 web page hits from 5,933 users. Please remember that it's possible that the same users are counted more than once, because they usually receive different "internet address" each time they log into their ISPs. When we purchase WebTrends software, technology staff will be able to further break down the hits into "departments". Outreach has asked the Technology Center to provide more detailed hit counts for their pages.

Middle School Dessert Auction

Thursday, December 7

8:50 am - ?

In the Auditorium

*All proceeds will be donated to the
PTCO Playground Fund.*

Contact Carol Keller for more information.

HOOSIERS HELPING HOOSIERS - I wanted to take a moment and thank everyone for your generous donations and support. There is time remaining to donate non-perishables, toiletries, laundry items, bath soaps, shampoos, and much more. All items go to families that need a little help during this holiday season. Maybe it's time to check the cabinets and see if you have something to give, now is the time to bring in your donations and show our support. The location of boxes is as follows: Outside Assistant Superintendent's office, outside Mailroom/Switchboard room, inside of Brown Cafeteria, outside secretary's office in Willard Hall. Our collection will be picked up on December 7, 2000, at 9:00 am. Any questions can be directed to Sylvia at ext. 401 Thank you again for all your help to "HOOSIERS HELPING HOOSIERS".

VIRUS ALERT - W32/ProLin@MM is an Internet worm that spreads via email. The email comes with an attachment named CREATIVE.EXE, which carries the icon of a Shockwave Media Player application. You may receive the email in this format:

Subject = A great Shockwave flash movie

Body = Check out this new flash movie that I downloaded just
now ... It's Great

Bye

Attachment = creative.exe

If you run CREATIVE.EXE, it finds and alters all .JPG and .ZIP files on your system and forwards a copy of itself to everyone in your email address book. Please do not run the attachment.

Upcoming Activity Periods

December 6	Jr. NAD Meeting in Vocational 8 th graders will meet in Scotty Zwicker's room.
December 13	MS/HS in Auditorium (Mrs. Olson's and Mrs. Whited Deaf Studies Classes will present Gallaudet/Clerc Celebration)
December 20	No Activity Period Due to Departments' Exam Schedules

Opportunities

NTID is sponsoring a Deaf Education Technology Conference entitled "Instructional Technology and Education of the Deaf: Supporting Learners, Kindergarten – College". The dates of the conference are June 25 – 29, 2001. More information on the conference can be obtained at <http://www.rit.edu/~techsym> or by contacting E. William Clymer at 716-475-6894 (v), 716-475-6704 (tty) or email at techsym@rit.edu. Two days of the workshop will focus on Using Technology to Support Learning, Measuring the Impact of Technology in Teaching/Learning Process, Using Technology to Support Student Transition to the Workplace and Online and Distance Learning. Then final two days will provide hands-on workshops. NTID is also calling for papers to present at this conference. You can receive more information at <http://www.rit.edu/~techsym>.

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SRC Duty

MS	Carrie Martin	
HS	Kay Sellers	Sharon Baker

Staff absences

Preschool	Patricia Collins Cynthia Reynolds (Late)
Elementary	Kelli Phillips (Mary Glenn Rinne is subbing.) Guy Volmar
Middle School	Ruth Asher-Lynch (Late) Pamela Gatto Chris Walters (Jill Lestina is subbing.)
High School	
Principal's Office	
Outreach	Joyce Connor Shannon Stafford

ISD DAILY BULLETIN

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Thursday, November 30, 2000

Education is what survives when what has been learned has been forgotten. – F.F. Skinner

TODAY'S ACTIVITIES

- 8:30 Scholastic Book Fair in the Alumni Hall Library
until 2:30 pm
- 9:00 Rachel B HE
- 9:40 Carol Keller's class will go on a fieldtrip to the library
at Glendale Mall.
- 9:45 N. Earley HE
- 10:00 J. Bennett HE
A. Feldoff CC
- 11:00 E. Imhausen CC
- 11:30 M. Erhler HE
- 1:00 D. Williams ACR
- 2:30 G. McCallum CC
- 3:15 A. Phillips ACR
- 4:30 HS Swimming against Broad Ripple
MS Boys Basketball against Trinity Lutheran
- 6:00 HS Girls Basketball at Covenant Christian

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TODAY'S MENU

Lunch

Chicken Nuggets
Macaroni & Beef*
Seasoned Corn
Green Beans
Cup Cake Cookies

Dinner

Beef Manhattan
Mashed Potatoes
Brussel Sprouts w/ Cheese Sauce
Fruit Cocktail

Breakfast

Apple Juice
Cereal
French Toast
Sausage

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

- Week of November 27 – December 1 Scholastic Book Fair (8:30 am to 2:30 daily in the Alumni Hall Library)
- December 1 **Gallaudet Entrance Exam from 8:50 to 12:10 in Room 7111**
HS Boys Basketball at Tabernacle (6:00/7:30)
HS Girls basketball against Liberty Christian (4:30)
- December 1-2 HS Wrestling at Blind School Invitational (4:30/8:30)
MS 7th/8th Grade Boys against Kentucky at KSD (7:00)
MS 7th/8th Grade Boys against Ohio at KSD (3:00)
MS 7th/8th Grade Boys against North Carolina at KSD (7:00)
- December 5 JV Boys Basketball at Park Tudor (*The time has been changed to 5:30 pm.*)
- December 6 Some First Graders will go to Primo's to sing a song for the Senior Silent*
Hoosiers from 12:30 to 2:30.
HS Swimming (Boys and Girls) in the Indian Creek Invitational at IUPUI Natatorium (5:00)
- December 7 Students in Sue Jones, Lou Ott and Becki Philhower's classes will journey
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JV Boys Wrestling vs. Franklin at ISD (*Start time is 5:30.*)
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